

FISCAL NOTE

HB 61 - SB 33

March 3, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Deletes failure to stop at the scene of an accident resulting only in damage to a vehicle from the offenses considered for determination of status as a habitual offender. Specifies that being in physical control of a vehicle while intoxicated or drugged is an offense considered for determination of status as a habitual offender. Driving under the influence is already included under current law.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

State Expenditures - Net Impact - Not Significant

Estimate assumes:

- one individual who would have been an habitual offender in the absence of the bill due to failure to stop at the scene of an accident who would have subsequently been charged with a Class E felony as an habitual offender will not be charged under the provisions of the bill.
- one individual will be classified as an habitual offender for being in physical control of a motor vehicle while intoxicated or drugged and will be charged with a Class E felony as an habitual offender under the provisions of the bill.
- the decrease and increase in incarceration costs resulting from these two offenders will result in a not significant net impact to the state.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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